- Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives welcome with pleasure the opportunity to recognize a remarkable Missouri citizen whose efforts and accomplishments have made her a source of inspiration to all those around her; and
- Whereas, Rebecca A. Holloway, a resident of Tipton, Missouri, has been chosen as a recipient of the Tipton Community Pride Award, a most impressive accolade to be bestowed upon her by the Tipton Chamber of Commerce on February 21, 2008; and
- Whereas, Rebecca Holloway commenced her career with the <u>Tipton Times</u> as an apprentice under Thomas W. Miller while still attending college; and
- **Whereas**, Rebecca Holloway earned a Bachelor's degree in English at Berea College in Berea, Kentucky, in May 1980, and immediately became a full-time employee at the <u>Tipton Times</u>; and
- **Whereas**, during her tenure with the <u>Tipton Times</u>, Rebecca Holloway has distinguished herself by serving as a photographer, a reporter, and an editor, the latter of which she has done for twenty-four years; and
- Whereas, a recipient of the Spirit of Manito award from the Moniteau County Historical Society, Rebecca Holloway has also enjoyed recognition by participating in the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life, and by serving as a leader with the Girl Scouts of the USA organization and the St. Andrew's Catholic Youth organization, and as President of the Kiwanis Club, the Moniteau County Historical Society, and St. Andrew's Altar Society; and
- Whereas, Rebecca Holloway has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Andrew Holloway; one daughter, Lexie; her parents, John and Mary Williamson; and her maternal grandmother, Dora Fassler; and
- Whereas, Rebecca Holloway can take pride in knowing she has consistently given more than one hundred percent to all those activities in which she has so generously and enthusiastically participated:
- Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Rebecca Holloway for her selection to receive the Tipton Community Pride Award and in further wishing her continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Rebecca A. Holloway.

Offer	red by _							
Representative Kenny Jones								
District No. 117								
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I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 644, adopted February 13, 2008.